IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA ALBANY DIVISION

JULIUS BRYSON, :

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Petitioner,

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v. : Case No. 1:12-cv-192 (WLS)

GREGORY MCLAUGHLIN, Warden,

:

Respondent.

ORDER

Before the Court is Petitioner Julius Bryson's motion for leave to proceed *in forma pauperis* on appeal. (Doc. 18.) By Order dated November 27, 2013 the Court adopted the magistrate judge's recommendation that Bryson's 28 U.S.C. § 2254 petition be denied. (Doc. 15.) In the same Order, the Court denied Bryson a certificate of appealability. Because this Court held that Bryson is not entitled to a COA, his motion to proceed *in forma pauperis* on appeal is **DENIED** as moot.

SO ORDERED, this <u>17th</u> day of December, 2013.

/s/ W. Louis Sands

W. LOUIS SANDS, JUDGE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT